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TAGS: ETRD, EAGR

SUBJECT: BAHAMAS SUGAR QUOTA

REF: NASSAU 229

1. WE CAN OFFER NO RPT NO ENCOURAGEMENT OR SUPPORT FOR REINSTATED BAHAMAS QUOTA IN NEW SUGAR LEGISLATION. MAJOR PURPOSE OF SUGAR ACT IS TO PROVIDE ADEQUATE SUPPLIES TO U.S. FROM RELIABLE FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC SOURCES. BAHAMAS FAILURE TO PRODUCE AND MEET U.S. QUOTA WOULD MAKE ADMINISTRATION SUPPORT FOR REINSTATEMENT OF QUOTA UNTENABLE.

2. CHAIRMAN POAGE HAS REQUESTED THAT REPRESENTATIVES OF FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS AND SUGAR INDUSTRIES NOT RPT NOT ASK FOR PERSONAL APPOINTMENTS WITH HIM. BAHAMAS, IF IT SO DECIDES, COULD TESTIFY DURING HOUSE AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE HEARINGS IN ATTEMPT REGAIN QUOTA. PLEASE INFORM FRANCIS OF LIMITED OFFICIAL USE  
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POAGE'S REQUEST AND ALSO THAT ANY REPRESENTATIVE OF BAHAMAS AT HEARINGS MUST BE U.S. CITIZEN.

3. YOU SHOULD NOTE THAT CURRENT WORLD PRICE FOR SUGAR IS  
OVER 18 CENTS PER POUND AND U.S. PRICE ON EQUIVALENT BASIS  
ABOUT 13 CENTS. KISSINGER

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## Message Attributes

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